



CASE TX/4-100-8388C
(167-51)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

ART UNIT: 1615

MEINZER ET AL.

APPLICATION NO: 10/781,069

EXAMINER: Channavajjala, L.S.

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FOR: OIL-FREE PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING
CYCLOSPORIN A

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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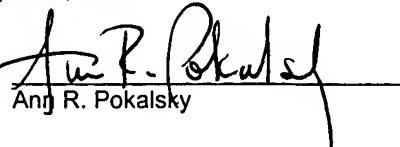
In response to the final Office Action of November 17, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejections set forth therein.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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